

CITY OF VENTURA

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# POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Via Electronic Mail Only

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Re: Public Records Request

Dear Samuel Sinyangwe,

We have received your California Public Records Act (CPRA) request dated, and received by the City of San Buenaventura on, February 1, 2019, asking for the following information:

*Pursuant to the California Public Records Act, I hereby request the following records:*

- 1. The total number of police use of force incidents, broken down by type of force used, between 2013-2017 (separated by year).*
- 2. The total number of people that police used force against, between 2013-2017 (separated by year)*
- 3. The total number of police use of force complaints reported between 2013-2017 (separated by year).*
- 4. The total number of police use of force complaints sustained between 2013-2017 (separated by year).*

**Responses 1-4:    See charts included herein**

Use of Force	Armed	Hand to Hand Look	Twist Look	Handdown	Blow Blow	Leg Kick	Chin Kick	Baton	Other	Electronic Device	Stun Gun	High Baton	Pepper Spray	Control Baton	Car Horn	Within Policy	Not Within Policy	Training Required	Investigation Initiated	Other	Total # UOF Filed
13EOY Totals	4	16	29	70	0	15	1	7	19	17	0	0	0	0	0	99	0	0	0	0	99
14EOY Totals	9	25	23	71	3	20	0	4	15	15	0	1	1	1	0	91	0	1	0	0	91
15EOY Totals	2	23	33	70	2	36	0	1	25	17	0	0	1	0	0	102	0	0	0	0	102
16EOY Totals	2	23	27	57	6	30	0	4	13	13	0	0	0	0	0	96	0	2	0	0	96
17EOY Totals	N/A	4	7	90	0	19	0	3	19	10	0	2	6	0	0	105	2	2	0	2	107

Use of Force Complaints	Unnecessary Force	Justified
13EOY Totals	6	0
14EOY Totals	3	1
15EOY Totals	3	0
16EOY Totals	0	0
17EOY Totals	5	2

If you have any questions, feel free to contact me.

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